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Almost everyone you meet has the desire to spend one winter in Florida. And why not? Only twenty-four hours north to the sunshine, the blossoms, the fruit and the perennial green of our famous southland.

ADVANTAGES.

Orange City has many advantages to present to the man seeking rest from the nervous strain of business. The climate and environment are restful to the shattered nerves and the worn out body—alike beneficial to the poor and the rich seeking homes in the bright and sunny south, to the invalid seeking health and the tourist seeking pleasure. The climate is similar to the Indian summer of the northern states. Out door life is the rule here in winter.

LOCATION.

The selection of the site by men of experience, while the country was yet all open, has proven their good judgment; the well known record for healthfulness, excellent soil for fruit growing, and the unparalleled purity of the water.

Orange City is situated 113 miles south of Jacksonville and twenty-five miles from the Atlantic coast, in the midst of a high rolling pine country, naturally drained, far removed from sources of malaria, and fanned by the breezes from old ocean and the gulf, thus enjoying an atmosphere not sufficiently dry to be too exciting nor sufficiently moist to be too relaxing. It enables the healthy to enjoy life and the invalid to breathe easy.

ORANGE CITY WATER.

Physicians attribute the remarkable freedom of this section from sickness very largely to the purity of the water, which has now become quite noted and is being shipped to various parts of the country. This fountain was discovered after penetrating to the depth of 100 feet, when the drill dropped seventeen feet. The Orange City Mineral Springs Water was on exhibition at the St. Louis exposition with 121 different brands of water, from thirty-three states and Canada. In the list were springs of world-wide fame—such as the Saratoga Springs, the Poland Water and the Waukesha Lithia Water. The jury of award gave the medal and certificate of highest award to the Orange City Water, saying: "You have the highest award the world can give you for your products."

In coming to a new country the quality of the water is of the highest consideration on the ground of healthfulness.

PRODUCTS.

We cannot give all the products possible in this country, but among the vegetables raised here are sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, peas, millet, cassava, tomatoes, okra, corn, pumpkins, cabbage, onions, cauliflower, egg-plant, sugar cane, beets, lettuce and celery, and many other garden vegetables.

PROPERTY.

For fruits, we have the orange, lemon, lime, grapefruit, fig, peach, Japan persimmon, grapes, plums, bananas, guavas, pomegranates and many kinds of berries. Huckle and blue berries wild in abundance. Strawberries, especially, do well here. Apples are raised in some parts, and even the apple can be grafted into the haw tree. Pecan nuts do especially well. Many medicinal plants grow wild. The vanilla is in abundance. Plants from which perfumes are made grow wild.

Property of all kinds can be bought cheaper than at any other place having equal attractions, and many are taking advantage of this circumstance to secure homes here. A cordial invitation is extended to the reader to come and see.

PEOPLE.

The citizens of this place are mainly from different states of the north, and as a rule, refined, intelligent, cultivated and moral, and are noted for being especially friendly to strangers.

HOMES.

Orange City is a nice thriving town, with two hotels, four private boarding houses, and cottages to rent to those who prefer a private home. Most of the citizens remain here the year round, many preferring the summer season, which is pleasant and comfortable with the cool ocean breezes blowing across the peninsula. Anyone desiring a home in the south need have no hesitancy in settling here, as statistics will amply prove its healthfulness. There are a few houses left which can be purchased at a low figure but these chances are getting less every day.

BLUE SPRING.

Two and a half miles from this place is the mammoth Blue Spring, one of the greatest mineral wonders in Florida, to see which is worth a journey of a thousand miles. The stream the spring makes empties into the St. Johns river. One can row from the spring to the river.

Trains On A. C. Line.

ARRIVE
From North—1:25 P. M. and 6:15 P. M.
From South—1:25 P. M. and 4 P. M.

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For North—12:15 and 3 P. M.
For South—12:15 and 5:15 P. M.

The Joy

of living is to have good health. Use Herbine and you will have bushels of joy. You need not be blue, fretful and have that bad taste in your mouth. Try a bottle of Herbine. A positive cure for all liver complaints. E. Harrell, Austin, Texas, writes: "I have used Herbine for over a year, and find it a fine regulator. I gladly recommend it as a fine medicine for Dyspepsia."

Entertainment at Orange City Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harvey, of Masontown, Pennsylvania, came to the "Orange City Hotel". They wished to entertain the friends of their own state, which they did in grand style on the evening of January 17th. The evening was more than delightful; many jokes were given. A recitation by Mrs. Varney "The pride of battery B." An essay by Miss Daken of "Mrs. Tulip's flower party."

Refreshments were served in dining room, where a toast was drunk to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, "that they might live long and come to us again." All hearts went out in love to our new friends and we sang "God be with you till we meet again," before saying good night. H. L. P.

Why

should your baby suffer? When he is fretful and restless, don't experiment on him and use any old thing your neighbor recommends. Buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge greatest known worm medicine and cure for all children's diseases. It is mild in its action, builds up the system, makes thin, puny babies fat. Mrs. J. C. Smith, Tampa, Fla. writes: "My baby was thin and sickly, could not retain its food and cried all night. I used one bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and in a few days baby was laughing, happy and well."

JOKING BY WIRELESS.

Let Him to Give Him and His Fun With Operators on Steamers.

Malcolm Goodtitle of New Haven is only thirteen years old, but he has rigged up a wireless telegraph outfit with which he has picked up steamers coming into New York bay and along Long Island sound, says a New Haven special dispatch to the New York Press. The expert wireless operators aboard have been amused when responding to a call to receive the following: "I am thirteen years old and a grammar school boy, with a wireless apparatus rigged up in my back yard, and I am calling you up just for fun. Let's have a jolly talk just to give me practice." Malcolm says men on most of the big boats seem too busy to joke or talk with him socially, and some of them get mad when they find a schoolboy in knickerbockers is their wireless correspondent, but he doesn't mind that and keeps right at his electrical amusement. He finds out the score of Yale football games and flashes it along the sound to the boats.

The removal of the several commercial wireless stations from New England has left Malcolm's apparatus the only one of its kind in Connecticut. He says he intends to pick up business and deliver messages all over New Haven. His wireless pole cost his parents \$100, and they subscribed \$250 for his entire outfit. The lad was led into the experiments by his general reading. When he gets into academic work he will take up electricity and physics which deal with his apparatus, although he knows more about the subject now than most college graduates.

A Memorable Day.

One of the days we remember with pleasure, as well as with profit to our health, is the one on which we became acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifiers that cure headache and biliousness, and keep the bowels right. 25c at all druggists.

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"Bad associations—he works in a parrot store."

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"He is prepared to lay all his liabilities at her feet."

Dangers of a Cold and How to Avoid Them.

More fatalities have their origin in or result from a cold than from any other case. This fact alone should make people more careful as there is no danger whatever from a cold when it is properly treated in the beginning. For many years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been recognized as the most prompt and effectual medicine in use for this disease. It acts on nature's plan, loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by all druggists.

Local and Personal Items.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Merritt and Mrs. Merritt's daughter, Miss Beatrice Cotte, of Freeport, L. I., arrived last Thursday. They are located in the Crenshaw cottage on Volusia avenue.

The whole Anders family had a picnic last week over to Enterprise. There were fifteen in the party. They had a pleasant day and a good time.

Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Chas. St. John entertained the Whist Club last Friday at Library Hall; there were nine tables. Mrs. Fred Finney won ladies' first honors, Mr. King gentlemen's first honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson, who have been stopping in Rev. Halliday's house for the last few months, left for Leesburg Tuesday. They are very pleasant people and have made friends here that regret to have them leave.

The Aid Society social at Library Hall Monday evening was quite a success. There were about fifty people present. Miss Bird had the program in charge; it was both varied and interesting. They realized a neat little sum for their society.

You can get Orange City Souvenir Spoons at W. A. Allen & Co., next to the post office, DeLand.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred and little son, Robert, went over to Daytona last week to take in the auto races. They will return Saturday.

Found—Door key last Monday in front of Fenwick House. Enquire at Fenwick House.

Mrs. Frank Taylor left Monday for Daytona to see the auto races.

A very pleasant evening is reported when the Euchre Club met on Tuesday. There were seven tables. Mrs. Joseph Clark won first honors; Burt Brewster gentleman's first honors.

Miss Crabtree returned Monday from a week's sketching trip in the neighborhood of Lake Helen.

Your scribe is suffering greatly from la grippe this week.

Wanted—Chickens and turkeys at Orange City Hotel.—R. L. FENN.

Dr. E. A. Chapman, of New York City, specialist in rectal diseases, will visit Florida in February, stopping at Jacksonville, St. Augustine and DeLand. Anyone suffering from diseases of this kind who wish to consult him should send their names to A. H. Collington, at DeLand, who will notify you when the doctor arrives.

Mardi Gras, New Orleans, Mobile and Pensacola.

Feb. 7th to 18th, 1907, from Jacksonville to Pensacola and return \$12.25. Mobile \$15.35. New Orleans \$19.60. Tickets on sale Feb. 6th to 11th inclusive. Final limit leaving New Orleans, Mobile and Pensacola Feb. 17th. By payment of 60c cent and depositing ticket with ticket agent ticket can be extended to March 2nd. For Pullman reservation and detailed information call on or write Frank C. Boylston, District Passenger Agent, Atlantic Coast Line, Jacksonville, Fla.

Mice 3,200 Feet Underground.

In removing a casing from an oil well on the farm of Nancy Williams, near Dewey, I. T. workmen recently found in the casing at a depth of 1,200 feet the nest of a field mouse in which were the mother and her young, says the Kansas City Star. The workmen kept the mice as pets. At a depth of 1,200 feet in an oil well the air usually is too noxious for animal life.

To Fill a Long Felt Want in Odessa. A new class of insurance is said, according to the London Spectator, to have been introduced in Odessa which insures against riots, mob violence and revolutionary risings, the premiums ranging from 2% to 3 per cent.

Long Live The King!

is not necessarily one of perfect form can countries; while in America, the cry of the present day is "Long live Dr. King's New Discoveries, King of Throat and Lung Remedies," of which Mrs. Julia Ryder Paine, Truro, Mass., says: "It never fails to give immediate relief and to quickly cure a cough or cold." Mrs. Paine's opinion is shared by a majority of the inhabitants of this country. New Discoveries cures weak lungs and sore throats after all other remedies have failed; and for coughs and colds it's the only sure cure. Guaranteed by all druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

MODERN FIREARMS DON'T KILL.

Too Many Recoveries From Rifle Wounds in War.

Modern firearms are too humane and unless battles are vigorously followed up, the retreating enemy is merely stunned—not disabled, says American Medicine. If these wounds had been more severe the Russians would not have been able to restore their ranks. The Japanese themselves, were always exhausted after a battle to follow up their advantage and were never able to give a fatal blow.

In other words, we are at the ridiculous paradox of possessing weapons so harmless that we cannot disable the enemy. Battles, in spite of their frightful loss of life—no greater though than previously—are becoming gigantic French duels. The "code" evaporates when it always results fatally. Wars or national duels will also end when they are too deadly and too expensive.

Warfare demands a more deadly weapon, for the present tendency is as absurd as arming soldiers with boxing gloves. Already there is a demand to return to the old 45-caliber pistol because the 38 does not wound sufficiently. We may soon expect to hear a demand for a rifle so severe that when an enemy is hit, he is permanently disabled from fighting, at least during that war.—American Medicine.

Use of Strange Foods Growing.

History tells us that Confucius liked sharks' fins and sea slugs and birds' nests. Well and good. If a man with an intellect like that of the great Chinese philosopher found these, to us, unusual foodstuffs, he would be worth trying. Leslie's Weekly.

Then there are the preserved grape leaves, the pickled squash and the dried okra of the Syrians. These people of the Orient were civilized long before America was even thought of being discovered, so there is no reason, argues the epicure, why their knowledge and choice of foods should not be well worth investigating.

The other countries have their special delicacies, which, if they are sought out, appeal to the universal taste and form an agreeable and interesting part of the daily menu.

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